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USE THEREOF FOR THE

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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116

Box AF **Assistant Commissioner for Patents** Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action dated June 3, 2002, for which a response is due on September 3, 2002. As this response is timely filed, no extension of time is necessary.